

BEAUMONT FIRE-RESCUE SERVICES

MONTHLY STATUS REPORT

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November 2017

Chief's Message

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City of Beaumont Fire-Rescue Services

Anne Huff
Fire Chief

Christian Singler
Operations Section Chief

Joseph Condina
Planning Section Chief

John Bourgeois
Logistics Section Chief

My retirement from the fire department is quickly approaching, and I've been anxiously preparing for the next phase of my life. While I've been packing up and getting things ready for the next chief to move in, I've been doing some soul searching...my personal after-action review, of sorts. In this last monthly message that I will write to you, I'd like to focus on a few of the lessons that I've learned over my years in the fire service. Maybe some of them will help some of you along the way.

I'd have to say that there are two characteristics that have helped me to not only be successful in the fire service, but to feel good about my career as a firefighter. I've observed that these qualities have been present in the highest performing members in our department, not just over my 31+ years, but through our department's 137-year history. Both are related to having a positive attitude towards getting the job done regardless of circumstances: being a life-long learner and giving 110% effort to every responsibility.

Those firefighters who accept that there is always more to learn, who are willing to listen and be flexible, and who give that consistent 110% effort of their hearts, minds and bodies are why the public believes that every firefighter is a hero deserving the highest levels of respect. These high performers make all firefighters look good. Being one of them isn't easy, but I'd say that it's worth it. Maintaining the public's trust in us, and exceeding their expectations takes continual improvement and is hard work, but it's well worth the effort when you can look back on the life that you've lived knowing that you have dedicated yourself to being the best that you can be, selflessly given the best that you've got to help others, and that your best efforts have made a positive difference in people's lives.

With this in mind, there are a few lessons for job-related success and contentment that I've learned through the hands-on school of leadership hard knocks. Here they are:

- Competency is the basis for success and long-term job satisfaction. The better you are at your job, the happier you'll be doing it. Everything there is to know or master in the fire service is

achievable if you dedicate your heart, mind and body to your own and your team's development. A positive attitude and consistent effort are normally all that is required. How good you become and how happy you are in your career is strictly up to you. The only person holding you back is you.

- As you move up in the chain of command, your job will change, become broader and more complex with each promotion. You must be open, flexible, willing to learn and practically apply new information and skills sets all along the way. Supervising people will be the most frustrating, and yet most rewarding, part of your job. You must be able to acknowledge and learn from your mistakes so that you don't repeat them. You must be willing to "Pay it Forward" and teach those who directly report to you because that's how we all stay safe and are able to professionally achieve our mission.
- Do your best to live and lead by the Golden Rule, but don't be afraid to call people out when they're behavior is unacceptable. Leadership is not (or shouldn't be) a popularity contest. No matter who you are or how you lead, there will be people who don't like decisions you make or just plain don't like you. There will be people who lie to you and about you. Being a leader is just like being a parent dealing with teenagers—they may hate you for something right now, but your intervention today might help them to avoid the destruction of themselves and the family tomorrow. If you really do care, you must act to protect the long-term best interests of your brother/sister and the family, even if what you have to do makes some of your brothers and sisters angry at you. It's a price of leadership.
- Day-to-day decisions are not emergencies, no matter how much somebody tries to make them appear to be so. Take your time, gather information and review options before making a decision. Do your best to communicate the what, why and how of the decision. If you've done your research, asked for feedback from your team before making the decision, and believe the decision is the right thing to do, then do what you must do and move on. The people who choose to be unhappy will complain regardless. Avoid dwelling on a decision and listening to complainers who aren't bringing relevant information to the table. They just sap your energy and waste your time. If relevant information comes in that changes the circumstances, be willing to change course if it makes sense.
- Do your best to serve as a positive role model that your family can be always be proud of. There are leaders in all ranks. Some lead in a positive direction, some don't. As public servants, character counts. Integrity, honesty and transparency are everything. The end does not always justify any means, especially if the means involve lying, covert game playing or corruption. These are (or should be) categorically unacceptable to everyone. If you care about your brothers and sisters and our fire service family, call these things out whenever and wherever you see them. Your intervention today could prevent a tragic situation from occurring down the road.
- Be open and willing to change. The only person that you can ever truly change is yourself. For some, the best that you can do will many times never be enough. Give your best anyway, without any expectation of awards or appreciation, just because it's the right thing to do.

- If you want to really enjoy your job, surround yourself with people who are positive. Being exposed to a constant stream of negativity only brings you down. If you must spend time around people who are constantly complaining and negative, do your best to block them out. Remember that you can only give your best (give 110% effort) each day, and that being a Beaumont Firefighter really is the best job in the world.

In closing, I'd like to share something that I've kept on the wall in my office for the last 20 years. It has helped me to stay focused on what truly matters, especially on days that were the hardest:

People are often unreasonable, illogical and self-centered—Forgive them anyway.

If you are kind, people may accuse you of selfish, ulterior motives—Be kind anyway.

If you are successful, you will win some false friends and some true enemies—Succeed anyway.

People may cheat you—Be honest and frank anyway.

What you spend years building, someone could destroy overnight—Build anyway.

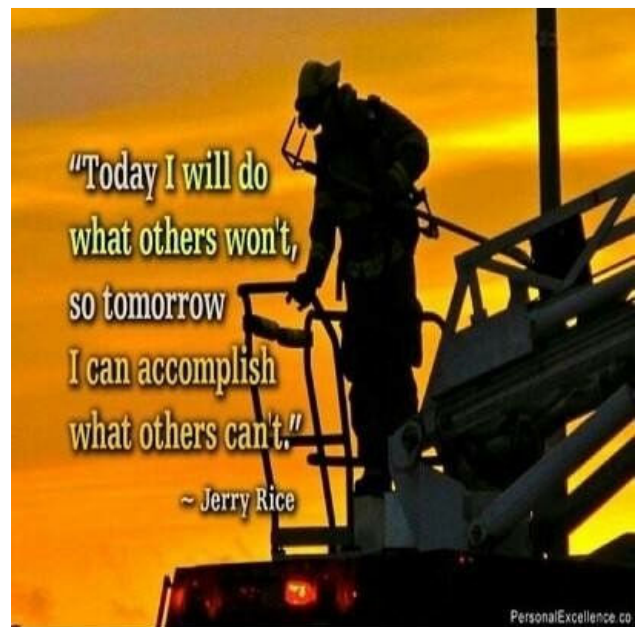
If you find serenity and happiness, they may be jealous—Be happy anyway.

The good you do today, people will often forget tomorrow—Do good anyway.

Give the world the best you have, and it may never be enough—Give the best you've got anyway.

You see, in the final analysis, it's between you and God—It's never between you and them anyway.

Though we haven't always agreed, I love you all as my brothers and sisters, sons and daughters in the fire service. I challenge you to be the best that you can possibly be, to actively seek the greatest good, and to do the right thing, for the right reasons, in all cases. I wish you all the best, and will continue to pray that our firefighters, City responders, and citizens stay safe. God bless and good luck!



ADMINISTRATION & FINANCE SECTION

Freda Johnson, Admin. Assistant I

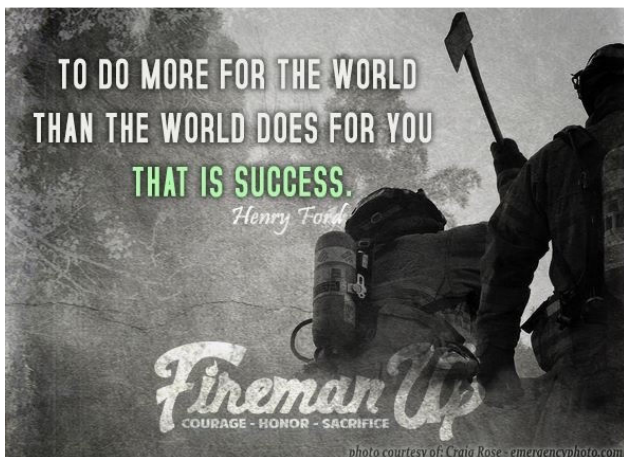
Debra Smith, Secretary II

PERSONNEL UPDATES

Promotions		
Member	Rank	Date
Matthew Standley	G-II	11/01/17
Travis Roy	G-IV	11/30/17

Bids Awarded			
Member	Rank	Position	Shift
Chris Jagoe	G-IV	10	C
Greg Hollaway	G-III	3	C
Thomas Galavis	G-II	1	C
Bryant Marschman	G-II	1	B
Tim Isenblitter	G-I	3	B
Trevor Jordan	G-I	7	A
Jesse Rashall	G-I	10	B
Jeremiah Gentz	G-I	Comm	Days
Justin Guynes	G-II	4	B
Josh Davis	G-II	7	A
Ben Dunham	G-I	14	C
Josh Davis	G-II	TRG	Days
Justin Guynes	G-II	1	A
Benjamin Vines	G-I	4	A
Matthew Newton	G-I	9	A

Transfers			
Member	Rank	Position	Shift
Jeremiah Gentz	G-I	Comm	Day
Thomas Galavis	G-II	1	C



ADVISORY GROUP MEETING UPDATES

Fire Management Group

Fire Chief Anne Huff, Facilitator

Management Team met on November 8. The Wellness Fitness SOG is still being

evaluated with probationary personnel. Laserfiche occupancy files are almost 80% complete and the large plans have been scanned.

The Carbon Monoxide UOG is to be reviewed, updated, and converted to an SOG. Chief Nolen is working on this project. Chief Fowler submitted a draft SOG for helmet mounted cameras and this was deferred to the next meeting.

The Touch-Up/Inventory Audit was slowed due to Hurricane Harvey but is continuing to be updated. Chiefs Bordelon and Nolen have decided on three hoods to be wear-tested and they will choose personnel to test them.

Fifty-four candidates took the written examination in the fall hiring process. Forty-four passed the test. Twenty-four passed the physical abilities test. Fifteen candidates were interviewed for the seven positions currently open. The new personnel will start work on January 2, 2018.

Two nominations received for STARS awards for actions during Hurricane Harvey were discussed. Awards will be given at the pinning & promotion ceremony on December 6.

Officer Development Advisory Group District Chief Eric Chapman, Facilitator

The TCFP Instructor class information has been assigned and delivered. The class will begin on November 27 and run through January 2018.

REVENUE UPDATES

Fiscal Year-to-Date Revenue Summary		
Revenue Type	Budgeted	Actual
Emergency Response	\$50,000	\$0
Inspection Fees	\$13,000	\$800
Total	\$63,000	\$800

PLANNING SECTION

Deputy Chief Joseph Condina, Section Chief Scott Wheat, Sandra Trujillo, Secretary I

CODE ENFORCEMENT

District Chief Scott Wheat, Coordinator

When a code enforcement situation needs to be addressed, please notify the Community Risk Reduction supervisors with an email to Chief Condina, Chief Wheat, Captains Penisson, Blanchard, and Simon. By including all supervisors in the email, there can be a timely response to the issue.

Inspections Conducted	
Inspection Type	Number
General Inspection	33
Certificate of Occupancy	49
Total Inspections	82
Code Violations Found	26
Inspection Fees Generated	\$350.00

Construction Plans Reviewed	
Plan Type	Number
Fire Alarm Systems	8
Sprinkler Systems	6
Fixed Fire Extinguishing Systems	3
Building/Plats	16
Total Inspections	33

Systems Tested	
System Type	Number
Fire Alarm Systems	9
Sprinkler Systems	3
Fixed Fire Extinguishing Systems	0
Total System Tests	12

Construction Plans Reviewed Detail	
Business Name & Location	Code Requirements
2949 College Suite 230- Game Room	Build-Out (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Mobil Oil Credit Union 3535 Calder	(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Wholesale Valves 1010 Broadway	Remodel (1)(3)(4)(5)(6)
660 Fannin	Remodel (1)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Mike Smith Collision 3760 Corley	Parking Lot Expansion
Liquor Store 3290 Concord Ste. 8	(1)(3)(4)(5)(6)
4 Wheel Parts 4075 Old Dowlen	Remodel (1)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Pension Office - lease space 1465 Cornerstone Courts	Build Out (1)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Amacate Tortilla Restaurant 7150 Eastex Freeway	Remodel (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)(7)
Five Below 6155 Eastex Freeway	Retail Build-out (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)
UTMB Health 191 N 11th St	Remodel (1)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Boost Mobile 2745 Washington Blvd	Retail Build-out (1)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Future Retail Development Walden Road	Waterline design
Global Pallets 5355 Ohio	Remodel (1)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Nails & More 6230 Phelan	Remodel (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Wal-Mart 4145 Dowlen	Remodel (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)

Code Requirements Key:

(1) fire extinguisher; (2) sprinkler system; (3) fire alarm; (4) exits lights; (5) emergency lights; (6) KNOX box; (7) fixed hood; (8) additional fire hydrants

Permits Issued	
System Type	Number
Fire Protection Systems	0
Fuel Dispensing/Storage Systems	1
Temporary Use Tents	3
Open Burning	0
Fireworks	0
Total Permits	4

Consultations Performed	
Consult Type	Number
Phone Consults	169
Office Consults	68
Field Consults	91
Total Consults	328

INVESTIGATIONS

District Chief Scott Wheat, Coordinator

This month, fire and arson investigators were involved in the following:

- ❖ 3 professional standards investigations
- ❖ 5 arson cases

Complaints Investigated	
Complaint Type	Number
Fire Code Violations	73
Citizen/Internal Affairs	3
Total Complaints	76

Significant Investigations Conducted	
Date, Location & Incident Type	Disposition
11/01/17 4015 Ogden Building Fire	Equipment Failure
11/04/17 3493 Corley Building Fire	Unintentional
11/04/17 1060 Grant Vehicle Fire	Under Investigation

11/04/17 2650 Grand Vehicle Fire	Equipment Failure
11/04/17 4005 Ave. A Building Fire 17-1716794	Unintentional
11/04/17 4005 Ave A Building Fire 17-1716820	Unintentional
11/08/17 5299 W Cardinal Vehicle Fire	Unintentional
11/11/17 520 Dowlen BLDG 5 2 Alarm Commercial Fire	Intentional
11/12/17 4308 Galveston Building Fire	Unintentional
11/13/17 5166 Hunter Building Fire	Arson
11/16/17 Helbig Vehicle Fire	Equipment Failure
11/17/17 2566 IH-10 Vehicle Fire	Equipment Failure
11/17/17 6706 Bigner Trash Fire	Illegal Burning
11/18/17 520 Florida Vehicle Fire	Unintentional
11/18/17 3320 N Willowood Trash Fire	Undetermined
11/19/17 2310 N 11th Commercial Building Fire	Unintentional
11/19/17 9420 Riggs Building Fire - Fire Death	Unintentional
11/19/17 7900 Bluebonnet Brush Fire	Intentional
11/20/17 4285 Congress Building Fire	Under Investigation
11/20/17 College Vehicle Fire	Equipment Failure
11/21/17 1532 Laurel 2 Alarm Commercial Fire	Intentional
11/24/17 2465 Ranier Vehicle Fire	Unintentional
11/25/17 855 Palermo Building Fire	Unintentional
11/26/17 4915 Sassafras Building Fire	Unintentional
11/27/17 6432 Phelan Commercial Building Fire	Under Investigation
11/29/17 846 Goliad Building Fire	Intentional

11/29/17 925 Norwood Cooking Fire	Unintentional
11/30/17 860 IH 10 Vehicle Fire	Equipment Failure
11/30/17 7500 Colonial Outbuilding Fire	Arson

PUBLIC INFORMATION & EDUCATION

District Chief Scott Wheat, Coordinator

During the month, Community Risk Reduction personnel conducted **5** safety education programs for **4,000** persons. There were also **16** fire drills conducted.

Public Information Officers researched and responded to **34** requests for public information and records. **14** news releases and media posts were issued related to department incidents and activities.

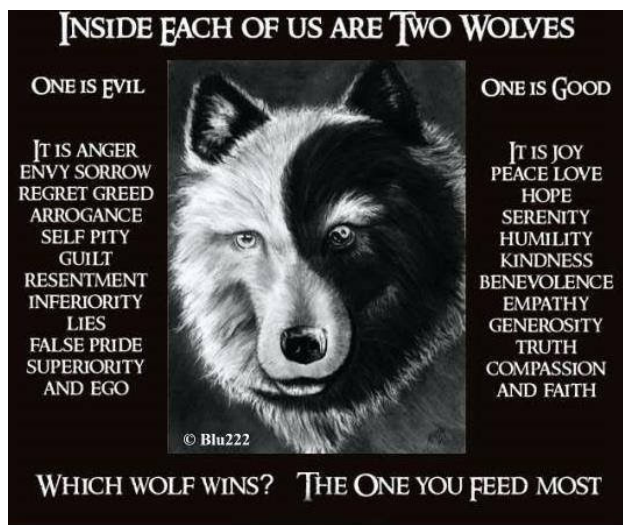
OPERATIONS SECTION PERSONNEL

PLEASE REMEMBER!

If you find that your unit was assigned a report in Firehouse that it did not respond to (cancelled before leaving the station),

DO NOT FILL OUT THE REPORT.

Instead, send an email to Chief Wheat, Captains



FIRE MUSEUM OF TEXAS

Ami Kamara, FMOT Manager

General Museum Attendance

Region	Visitors
Beaumont	53
Golden Triangle	8
State of Texas	46
United States	46
International	8
Total Visitors	161

Education & Programming Update

We conducted three tours for schools, adults and Girl Scout troops this month, with a total attendance of 185 guests.

FMOT Association (501c3) Updates

Grants submitted:

- YMBL - \$5,600 for education for school tours
- IMLS, Museums for America - \$20,711 for shelving and part time intern

Grants awarded:

- \$10,000 from Phillips 66 for Fire Festival

Collections & Exhibits Updates

The repair work to the large stall door is complete.

Marketing Updates

The TV show, Texas Bucket List, filmed at the museum in October. The episode featuring the Fire Museum will air December 9, 2017.

LOGISTICS SECTION

*Deputy Chief John Bourgeois, Section Chief
Gina Bankhead, Logistics Admin. Assistant
Gloria Weathington, Secretary II
Wynell Brown, Secretary I*

PURCHASING

Requisitions & Purchase Orders

- ❖ Code 3 – Shift Calendars
- ❖ Uniform House – Winter Coats
- ❖ Casco –
 - 49 sets of bunker gear
 - Firefighting boots

Check Requests

- ❖ State Firemen's & Fire Marshal's Assoc. of TX – Dues for 2018
- ❖ TCLE:
 - Peace Officer Instructor License for Jarrett Hamilton
 - Peace Officer License for James Blanchard
- ❖ PowerPhone Inc. – Online training: Public Safety Telecommunicator for J. Gentz & EMD Certification for J. McLean & Ty Russel
- ❖ East Texas Gulf Coast Regional Trauma Advisory Council – RAC-R Renewal Fee
- ❖ TCFP:
 - Re-Testing fee for D-O exam – L. Hoffpauir/T. Kirtley/J. Posey
 - Application for certification for FF Advanced – J. Rashall

Sam's Club Purchases

- ❖ Food items for Pinning Ceremony & Laundry Detergent for Stations/Supply

Procurement Card Purchases

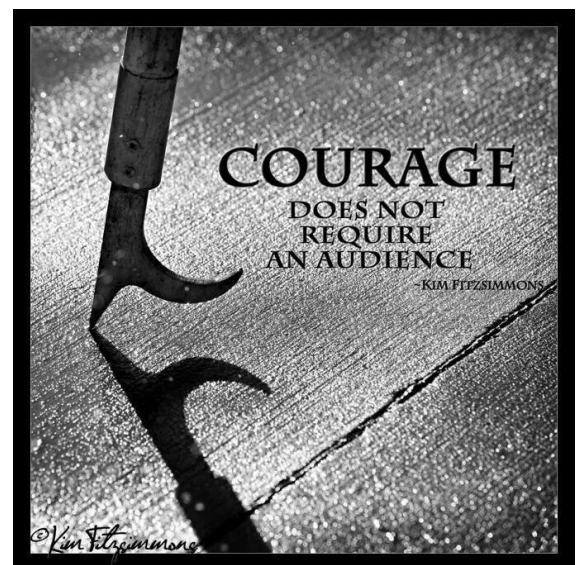
- ❖ Reconciled 11 procurement card statements

Deposits

- ❖ Reimbursement for overage on 2018 Company Store:
 - C. Parigi
 - K. Portie
 - J. Callaway
 - B. Ehrhart
- ❖ Reimbursement for purchase of 2 Nomex grey polo's – P. Hunt
- ❖ Reimbursement for purchase of 1 Job Shirt – D. Richard
- ❖ Reimbursement for purchase of boots at retirement – D. Linton
- ❖ Reimbursement from Munro's Safety Apparel for ruining J. Bourgeois shirt – Shirt/Shipment/Patches

Travel Authorizations & Expense Reports

- ❖ T. Simon – 9th Annual E-Plan Group Training 11/7-11/9/2017 New Orleans, LA
- ❖ M. Fuller – Texas EMS 2017 Conference 11/19-11/22/2017 Fort Worth, TX



SUPPORT BRANCH

District Chief Chris Jagoe, Manager

CERTIFICATION & TRAINING

Captain Zack Lucas, C&T Coordinator

D/O Josh Davis, C&T Coordinator

Training Requests Processed	
Program	Number
Firefighter C&T	3
Emergency Medical C&T	0
Hazardous Materials C&T	1
Technical Rescue & Recovery C&T	0
Officer Development C&T	12
Safety & Health C&T	1
Total	17

Continuing Education & Evaluations

Online continuing education classes assigned:

- ❖ Mechanics of Breathing
- ❖ Supplemental Oxygen
- ❖ Respiratory System A&P
- ❖ Building Construction
- ❖ General Construction Safety

Performance Benchmark Practice Assigned

- ❖ 405.01 - Suction Device
- ❖ 407.06B - Incident Commander / Safety Officer Mayday Procedure
- ❖ 406.01B - Methods of Using the DOT North American Emergency Response Guidebook

Performance Benchmark Evaluations Conducted		
Program	Number	% Passing
Firefighter	33	100%
Emergency Medical	22	100%
Total	55	100%

Probationary Responder Program

We currently have twenty-two Probationary Firefighters. Nine probationary members will be completing their probationary year at the end of November. You will notice they have an enormous curiosity for knowledge and job etiquette. They are absorbing everything they observe their senior coworkers do and say while on responses and awaiting calls at the station. Please be responsive to these questions. Remember that they are new to this profession and every call they make is setting the standard for how they will perform on similar responses.

TCFP Certification & Training Updates

Congratulations to the following members who have achieved or upgraded TCFP certifications:

TCFP Certifications & Upgrades	
Officer	Certification
Jesse Rashall	Advanced FF
Total	1

**There is little Difference in People,
but that little Difference makes a Big Difference.
The little Difference is Attitude &
The Big Difference is whether it is Positive or Negative.**

-W. Clement Stone

SUPPLY & GROUND SUPPORT

Captain Darrwin Walles, Coordinator

Please submit your Company Store orders so they can be compiled. We purchased 49 sets of new bunker gear. The new Supply Van is in and waiting on graphics before being put in service. When submitting your weekly supply needs you do not need to list items stocked in your closets, that 2-week supply is restocked weekly. Wash and inspect your gear. Be safe!

PPE Maintenance & Testing Program

D/O Landon Dunlap, Coordinator

NFPA 1851 Advanced PPE Inspections				
PPE Element	Tested	Passed	Repaired-Replaced	Retired
Bunker Coat	10	10	0	0
DRAG System	10	9	1	1
Bunker Pants	10	10	0	0
Hood	8	8	0	0
Helmet	15	14	1	1
Boots	12	9	3	3
Gloves	8	4	4	4
Totals	73	64	9	9

Work Order Summary			
Work Order to:	Created	Scheduled	Completed
Facilities Maint.	21	21	19
Supply	3	3	3
Totals	24	24	22

Supply & Ground Support Activities

Type of Activity	Number
Deliveries Made for Department	123
Investigated Facility Repair Requests	21
Investigated Equipment Repair	7
Serviced Headquarters Vehicles	15
Received & Processed Orders	9
Issued/Returned PPE & Uniforms	52
Supported HQ & FMOT Activities	43
Total	270

SERVICES BRANCH

District Chief Brian Hebert, Manager

COMMUNICATIONS

Captain Carl Whitehead, Coordinator

The Communications Group managed 6,503 calls for service and created 3,268 events for the month, averaging 109 events per day. Total BFR incidents were 1,573 and total BEMS incidents were 1,695.

First Responder emergency medical calls compromised 78% of total BFR service requests. Automatic fire alarms were 10% of calls received. BFR personnel were deployed to 27 one-alarm incidents and 165 motor vehicle collisions. The average dispatch time for one-alarm incidents was 09 seconds.

Dispatcher Certification & Training

All staff members completed SETRPC TTY training and Department CE hours.

CAD/MCT Updates

We are still waiting on TS to schedule times to test the Zetron system at the fire stations.

Radio System Updates

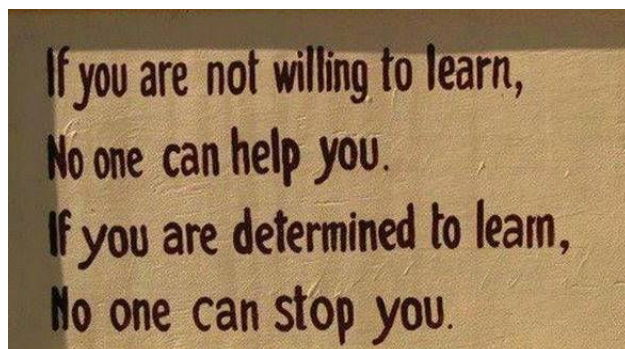
TS/Radio Shop is in the process of updating mobile units on our front line equipment. We will also begin the process of updating KNOX codes on all units with KNOX keys.

Communications Tip

Before you speak: Think about what information needs to be communicated and put the information in a standardized format. Ensure that the radio is on and the volume is properly adjusted. Make sure the channel is clear. Press the push-to-talk button and wait a second.

After Hours Call-Outs Processed	
Department	Number
Traffic	5
Streets & Drainage	2
Supply & Ground Support	5
Fire Fleet Maintenance	2
Facilities Maintenance	0
Parks	0
Total Call-Outs	14

Food Unit Activations		
Date	NFIRS#	Location
11/11/2017	1717113	520 Dowlen (\$158.46)



OPERATIONS SECTION

Assistant Fire Chief Christian Singler

Kelly Day Changes		
Shift	Member	Day Awarded
D	David Delacerda	Sunday
B	Jesse Rashall	Friday
B	Jonathan Yi	Sunday
B	Joshua Weber	Sunday
C	Gregory Hollaway	Tuesday
C	Nicholas Zumo	Thursday
A	Jared Sampson	Sunday
B	Casey Sanders	Friday

Community Outreach & Education

This month Operations Section personnel conducted 4 fire safety and public education programs, and fire station tours.

District Drills & Exercises

- ❖ **51A, District Chief Steve Bautsch** – E1, T1, C51, E11, and Q5 conducted hazmat training on 11-13. E1, T1, and C51 conducted vertical vent. Training on red tag structure 11-28. E7 conducted web training on vertical ventilation and hands on pre-connect deployment training. E2 and E8 conducted preplan of Seville Apts.
- ❖ **51B, District Chief Jared Smith** – Preplan at 1945 Pennsylvania and hose tactics in stairwells.
- ❖ **51C, District Chief Pat Shelton** – No report.

- ❖ **52A, District Chief Josh Fowler** – District 52A did not meet for a monthly drill due to regularly scheduled personnel being off.
- ❖ **52B, District Chief Jeff Phillips** – No report.
- ❖ **52C, District Chief Eric Chapman** – The district held two pre-plan walkthroughs this month. E8 completed one at 4330 Westridge and E2 completed one at 3855 E. Lucas.
- ❖ **53A, District Chief William Fratus** – C53, E3, E6, E10 and T3 crews reviewed forcible entry into commercial structures, and how to overcome SCBA failure and watched IFSTA videos on these subjects for November monthly training.
- ❖ **53B, District Chief Leo Holden** – No report.



NFIRS Response Statistics

Operations Section personnel responded to 1,577 calls for service during the month. These calls corresponded to the following

National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS) categories:

Type of Response	# of Calls	%	Estimated Losses
Fires	49	3.10	\$1,143,620
Overpressure, Explosion	1	0.06	\$0
Rescue & Medical	958	60.74	\$0
Hazardous Conditions	74	4.69	\$0
Service Call	197	12.49	\$0
Good Intent	125	7.92	\$0
False Alarms	163	10.33	\$0
Severe Weather	0	0	\$0
Special Incident	3	0.19	\$0
Totals	1,577	100.00%	\$1,143,620

FIRE RESPONSE BRANCH

Deputy Chief Christiaan Bordelon, Director

NFPA 1710 FIRE RESPONSE STATISTICS

First Fire Apparatus On-Scene Benchmark

The targeted response time for the first fire apparatus to arrive on scene of a structure fire is five (5) minutes or less, 90% of the time. For the **16** structure fires occurring during the month, firefighting forces achieved the first apparatus on scene benchmark **93.75%** of the time.

Full First Alarm On-Scene Benchmark

The targeted response time for the full first alarm apparatus assignment to arrive on

scene of a structure fire is nine (9) minutes or less, 90% of the time. For the **16** structure fires occurring during the month that required a full first alarm response, firefighting forces achieved the benchmark, **50.00%** of the time.

PROGRAMS

SCBA Maintenance & Testing

District Chief Jared Smith, Manager

Eighteen packs were sent out for repair. Twenty-eight cylinders were sent out for hydrostatic testing. Thirteen passed and fifteen were condemned due to excessive wear.

SCBAT Members by Shift		
Shift	Active	Candidates
A	4	6
B	4	2
C	3	2

MEDICAL RESPONSE BRANCH

Deputy Chief Keith Nolen, Director

NFPA 1710 MEDICAL RESPONSE STATISTICS

First Medical Responder On-Scene Benchmark

The targeted response time for the initial medical First Responder to arrive on scene of a medical emergency is five (5) minutes or less, 90% of the time. For the **940** medical responses occurring during the month, BFR First Responders achieved benchmark **66.31%** of the time.

PROGRAMS

Emergency Medical First Responder

District Chief Brian Hebert, Manager

Plans are being worked out on patient assessment & documentation classes with BEMS. This will provide for future updates in response protocols.

The assessment and documentation procedures will be used on welfare checks and Lifeline calls that the department is currently responding to. The change in response to Life Line calls and welfare checks are going well. Remember if we receive a call from a company or individual concerning someone who they are unsure of being on the premise or what may be wrong, we will dispatch a fire engine. If the engine company arrives on scene and comes in contact with a real patient (not just an accidental activation) they will request a BEMS unit to treat or clear the patient.

The next phase will incorporate motor vehicle collisions. This will not increase the department's call volume as we already respond to MVCs.

The department's ALS members will be attending continuing education classes with BEMS in January. MSAG will also be reviewing Protocols and EMD procedures with BEMS. We are also developing a schedule for classroom didactic training, rhythm recognition and 12 Lead classes for ALSRT members with BEMS. We are in the development of an Active Shooter class and joint response with BPD and BEMS.

TECHNICAL RESPONSE BRANCH

Deputy Chief Calvin Carrier, Director

PROGRAMS

Wildland/Urban Interface Response

District Chief _____, Manager

WUIRT Members by Shift		
Shift	Active	Candidates
A	6	3
B	8	0
C	5	0
Days	1	0

Hazardous Materials Response

District Chief Josh Fowler, Manager

In the month of November, there were a total of 14 calls involving HAZMAT; 8 natural gas leaks (4 large leaks requiring assistance from Centerpoint), 2 spills involving flammable liquids, 1 chemical hazard call, 2 CO calls, & 1 investigation.

It is important for personnel to have recovery agreements filled out when on scene longer than 1 hour. These forms are located in the G Drive under the Shared Folder > Forms Folder > Operations Forms.

HMRT Members by Shift		
Shift	Active	Candidates
A	8	0
B	6	0
C	8	0
Days	2	0

Water Response & Recovery

District Chief Steve Bautsch, Manager

Two Zodiac boats with 5hp Tohatsu motors were placed in service. Boats are on red lowboy trailer along with small aluminum boat at station one. We also received word that the City of Beaumont received the grant for a new boat for the water response team.

WRRT Members by Shift		
Shift	Active	Candidates
A	4	0
B	5	1
C	3	2
Days	2	0

Technical Rescue & Recovery

District Chief Joshua Fowler, Manager

In the month of November, there were 16 technical rescue calls. There were 2 major vehicle accidents requiring extrication, 1 elevator rescue, 7 vehicle lock-ins and 5 structural lock-outs requiring forcible entry.

If any department members have any questions, comments or suggestions regarding technical rescue training or equipment, please email Chief Fowler.

In the event of a vehicle extrication, remember to code it as a 352 (Extrication of victim(s) from vehicle). Additionally, Vehicle LOCK-INS are coded 511 & Structural LOCK-OUTS are coded 331

BEAUMONT FIRE-RESCUE SERVICES

MONTHLY STATUS REPORT

"Committed to preserving & protecting life and property"

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HR Positions Report

Sworn Personnel

Grade	Classification	Allocated	Actual
I	Firefighter/EMT	100	94
II	Driver/Operator	70	70
III	Captain	46	46
IV	District Chief	12	11
V	Deputy Chief	5	5
	Assistant Chief	1	1
	Fire Chief	1	1
Totals		235	229
Vacancies: 6			

Civilian Personnel

Section	Classification	Allocated	Actual
Admin & Finance	Administrative Assistant I	1	1
	Secretary II	1	1
Planning	FMOT Manager	1	1
	Secretary I	1	1
Logistics	Administrative Assistant I	1	1
	Secretary II	1	1
	Secretary I	1	1
	Laborer/Maintenance Asst.	1	1
Operations	Secretary II	1	1
Totals		9	9
Vacancies: 0			

Operations Section Daily Staffing Report

Date	Day	SHIFT	PERSONNEL ASSIGNED	KELLY DAY	DAILY ASSIGNED STAFFING	AVAILABLE STAFF HOURS	REGULAR & UPGRADE	OVERTIME	FULL TIME EQUIVALENT	OFF-DUTY
1-Nov-17	Wednesday	A	68	10	58	1392.00	1200.00	0.00	50.00	192.00
2-Nov-17	Thursday	B	68	10	58	1392.00	1090.25	0.00	45.43	301.75
3-Nov-17	Friday	C	63	10	53	1272.00	1057.00	9.00	44.42	215.00
4-Nov-17	Saturday	A	68	10	58	1392.00	1050.00	21.00	44.63	342.00
5-Nov-17	Sunday	B	67	9	58	1392.00	1092.00	0.00	45.50	300.00
6-Nov-17	Monday	C	63	7	56	1344.00	1053.00	12.25	44.39	291.00
7-Nov-17	Tuesday	A	68	9	59	1416.00	1167.00	0.00	48.63	249.00
8-Nov-17	Wednesday	B	67	9	58	1392.00	1104.00	0.00	46.00	288.00
9-Nov-17	Thursday	C	63	9	54	1296.00	1089.00	0.00	45.38	207.00
10-Nov-17	Friday	A	68	10	58	1392.00	1128.00	0.00	47.00	264.00
11-Nov-17	Saturday	B	67	9	58	1392.00	1176.00	66.75	51.78	216.00
12-Nov-17	Sunday	C	63	9	54	1296.00	1020.00	36.00	44.00	276.00
13-Nov-17	Monday	A	68	10	58	1392.00	1176.00	0.00	49.00	216.00
14-Nov-17	Tuesday	B	68	10	58	1392.00	1188.00	0.00	49.50	204.00
15-Nov-17	Wednesday	C	63	9	54	1296.00	1020.00	36.00	44.00	276.00
16-Nov-17	Thursday	A	68	10	58	1392.00	1248.00	0.00	52.00	144.00
17-Nov-17	Friday	B	67	11	56	1344.00	1032.00	24.00	44.00	312.00
18-Nov-17	Saturday	C	63	10	53	1272.00	951.00	105.50	44.02	321.00
19-Nov-17	Sunday	A	68	10	58	1392.00	1116.00	0.50	46.52	276.00
20-Nov-17	Monday	B	68	10	58	1392.00	1034.00	22.00	44.00	358.00
21-Nov-17	Tuesday	C	64	10	54	1296.00	992.00	72.00	44.33	304.00
22-Nov-17	Wednesday	A	67	9	58	1392.00	1056.00	0.00	44.00	336.00
23-Nov-17	Thursday	B	68	10	58	1392.00	1080.00	0.00	45.00	312.00
24-Nov-17	Friday	C	64	10	54	1296.00	1056.00	0.00	44.00	240.00
25-Nov-17	Saturday	A	67	10	57	1368.00	1123.50	0.00	46.81	244.50
26-Nov-17	Sunday	B	68	11	57	1368.00	1080.00	0.00	45.00	288.00
27-Nov-17	Monday	C	64	7	57	1368.00	1083.00	9.25	45.51	285.00
28-Nov-17	Tuesday	A	67	9	58	1392.00	1242.00	0.00	51.75	150.00
29-Nov-17	Wednesday	B	68	8	60	1440.00	1134.00	0.00	47.25	306.00
30-Nov-17	Thursday	C	64	9	55	1320.00	1080.00	0.00	45.00	240.00
Totals						40872.00	32917.75	414.25	1388.83	7954.25
Average			66.23	9.47	56.77	1362.40	1097.26	13.81	46.29	265.14
Avg. Last Mo.			66.74	9.65	57.10	1370.32	1089.31	21.31	46.28	281.02

DATE	VACATION	SICK	OFF DUTY INJURY	ON-DUTY INJURY	W C W/O PAY FM SX WP	JURY DUTY	EMERGENCY FAMILY LEAVE	FUNERAL LEAVE	OFF CITY BUSINESS	COMP TIME	MILITARY	PERSONAL LEAVE
1-Nov-17	96.00	72.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2-Nov-17	192.00	48.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	37.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3-Nov-17	156.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	11.00	0.00
4-Nov-17	201.00	96.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	33.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12.00
5-Nov-17	180.00	96.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6-Nov-17	219.00	72.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7-Nov-17	153.00	96.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8-Nov-17	192.00	72.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9-Nov-17	159.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00
10-Nov-17	192.00	72.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
11-Nov-17	168.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
12-Nov-17	204.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
13-Nov-17	192.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00
14-Nov-17	156.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
15-Nov-17	180.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
16-Nov-17	132.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
17-Nov-17	216.00	72.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
18-Nov-17	201.00	96.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
19-Nov-17	168.00	72.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.00	11.50
20-Nov-17	192.00	96.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	5.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	17.00
21-Nov-17	208.00	72.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
22-Nov-17	192.00	96.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
23-Nov-17	216.00	48.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
24-Nov-17	216.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
25-Nov-17	194.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
26-Nov-17	216.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
27-Nov-17	180.00	72.00	0.00	9.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
28-Nov-17	111.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
29-Nov-17	138.00	96.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
30-Nov-17	160.00	32.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00
Date	5380.00	1688.00	48.00	153.00	0.00	0.00	465.25	72.00	24.00	0.50	11.00	112.50
Average	179.33	56.27	1.60	5.10	0.00	0.00	15.51	2.40	0.80	0.02	0.37	3.75
Avg Last Mo	166.68	69.05	0.00	6.97	0.00	0.00	21.60	0.77	12.39	0.00	1.55	2.02

Operations Section Hours Summary

ACTIVITY	HOURS	PERCENT
Regular & Upgrade	32,917.75	80.54%
Vacation	5,380.00	13.16%
Sick	1,688.00	4.13%
On-Duty Injury	153.00	0.37%
Off Duty Injury	48.00	0.12%
Emergency Family Leave	465.25	1.14%
Funeral Leave	72.00	0.18%
Jury Duty	0.00	0.00%
W C W/O PAY FM SX WP	0.00	0.00%
Comp Used	0.50	0.00%
Off City Business	24.00	0.06%
Military Leave	11.00	0.03%
Personal Leave	112.50	0.28%
TOTAL	40,872.00	100.00%

